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9. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 1 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in vehicle interiors.

10. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 9 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in vehicle upholstery.

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11. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 9 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use as a vehicle headliner.

12. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 9 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in as a vehicle trunkliner.

13. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 1 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in apparel applications.

14. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 13 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in pants.

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16. (amended) The textile-elastomer composite of Claim 1 wherein said textile-elastomer composite is incorporated into an article for use in residential and commercial upholstery.

17. (amended) A method of making a textile-elastomer composite comprising the sequential steps of:

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- (a) providing a textile fabric;
 - (b) producing a liquid elastomer composition comprising:
 - (i) a waterborne, anionically-stabilized acrylic latex;
 - (ii) an acid-generating chemical; and
 - (iii) at least one cloud-point surfactant;
 - (c) applying said elastomer composition of (b) to said textile fabric of (a); and
 - (d) heating said textile fabric to cause uniform coagulation of said elastomer composition over said textile fabric and to dry, but not destroy, said coagulated elastomer over said textile fabric.
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21. (amended) The method of Claim 17 wherein said elastomer composition of step (b) comprises:

- (i) a waterborne, anionically-stabilized acrylic latex;
- (ii) an acid-generating chemical;
- (iii) at least one cloud-point surfactant; and

wherein the weight ratio of (i) to (ii) is from about 5:1 to about 200:1 and the weight ratio of (i) to (iii) is from about 5:1 to about 50:1.

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28. (amended) The elastomer composition of Claim 23 comprising:

- (i) a waterborne, anionically-stabilized acrylic latex;
- (ii) an acid-generating chemical; and
- (iii) at least one cloud-point surfactant;

wherein the weight ratio of (i) to (ii) is from about 5:1 to about 200:1 and the weight ratio of (i) to (iii) is from about 5:1 to about 200:1.
